



# LOS ANGELES COUNTY WIA YOUTH BULLETIN

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**SUBJECT:** Youth Council Retreat Survey

**DATE:** 9-19-02

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**\*\* FOR YOUR IMMEDIATE ATTENTION \*\***  
**REPLY MUST BE RECEIVED BY October 10, 2002**

**TO: ALL WIA YOUTH SERVICE PROVIDERS**

## **Purpose**

The purpose of this bulletin is forward a survey to all WIA Youth service providers to gather input on your key areas of concern. This will assist us in identify key issues for discussion at the upcoming retreat for Youth Council members, scheduled for November 1, 2002.

## **Background**

As it is of the utmost importance to us that youth within the Los Angeles County be provided with the highest quality of services from our youth service providers, we have designed the attached survey to obtain input from you on what you believe is effective or is not effective about the WIA Youth program design, and why or why not. Your responses to this survey will enable us to identify key issues and concerns for the upcoming Youth Council retreat.

The person responding to the survey questions must possess a working knowledge of the WIA Youth Program and our program design, and must be involved in the daily operations of your WIA Youth program at an administrative level or higher.

Please attach written response to survey and fax your responses to CSS, at (213) 368-6811 by **Thursday October 10, 2002**.

If you have any questions, please call D.B. Quan at (213) 738-2624.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Josie Marquez".

JOSIE MARQUEZ, Director  
Employment and Training

Attachment

To: L.A. County Community and Senior Service / Attn: D.B. Quan  
RE: Service Provider Survey - Topics of Discussion for Youth Council Retreat  
Reply Fax: (213) 368-6811

**RSVP by October 10, 2002**

**Agency:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Staff completing survey form:** \_\_\_\_\_

CSS is in the process of arranging for a retreat for Youth Council members to discuss youth development issues. In doing so, we would like to gather input from our service providers from throughout Los Angeles County on your key areas of concern. To help us design our agenda, please complete the following questions:

1. What broad issues do you think are most critical for youth workforce development?
2. What outstanding issues and policies would you like the Youth Council to address at their retreat and in the upcoming year?
3. Are the current LA County policies and procedures responsive to the needs of the youth in your community? Your Agency? If not, indicate why not (briefly).
4. Are there youth that you would like to serve but cannot due to funding restrictions? What are the unmet needs?
5. Are there any best practices in youth workforce development locally or nationally that you like to see implemented or expanded in L.A. County? If so, for which target groups?
6. How do you think we could involve more youth in our Youth Council and program planning?
7. Do you feel that there should be more collaboration between the County and City Youth Councils? Collaboration of service providers between the two WIBs? Collaboration between LA County WIB and other WIBs in LA County? If so, what opportunities do you see towards connecting the County Youth Council, City Youth Council and others in the youth field in a more collaborative way?
8. Do you believe that the Youth Council can play a more active role in strategic youth development issues? Please share your ideas or wishes.
9. Is there any data that the Youth Council or WIB could provide that would be helpful in your program planning or delivery? Please be specific.
10. Are there any other issues that you would like to see addressed? If so, what are they?

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**AGENCY RESPONSES**

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